# RUSSIA TO TAKE OFFENSIVE.

CZAR SENDS NEW ORDERS TO GEN. KOUROPATKIN.

Attempt to Save Port Arthur Considered Likely-Grand Council and General Staff Agree on a Change in Tactics -Japanese Charge of Treachery.

Special Cable Despatches to THE SUN. PARIS, June 5.-The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Petil Journal says there was a meeting of the Grand Council and the General Staff yesterday under the presidency of the Czar, at which important decisions involving the adoption of offensive tactics in the present campaign were reached. LONDON, June 6 .- Despatches from St. Petersburg and other Russian centres

describe the general feeling of great uneasiness prevailing in all circles. The Petit Journal's announcement regarding the decisions of the Russian Grand Council and General Staff to adopt offensive tactics is supported by despatches to the Express

The correspondent of the Express says the general popular feeling that Port Arthur must be saved at all costs has overcome the opinion of the best military authorities. As a result Gen. Kouropatkin has been instructed to attempt to get through a relief force of 40,000 or 50,000 troops. The Czar and the court advisers favor this

The correspondent adds that he has reason to believe that the force will merely be kept ready and making feints at Gen. Kuroki's army, thus assisting Port Arthur by lessening the forces opposed to it. It is stated that Gen. Kouropatkin has requested the Czar to cancel the instructions

The correspondent of the Mail confirms the statement that it is the intention of Russia to stand or fall by Port Arthur, as in the event of the capture of the fortress by the Japanese internal trouble in Russia would be inevitable. He adds that Count Lamsdorf, Minister of Foreign Affairs, has hitherto been protected by the Czar, who is now displaying a strong personality in an unwonted manner, but it is expected that the Minister will be sacrificed as a scapegoat to popular indignation.

It is freely suggested that Gen. Kouropatkin has lost favor with the court, but it is certain that no change in the command of the army is contemplated.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the

Morning Post says he has the highest authority for stating that Russia is preparing to cope with a serious Chinese invasion. A despatch from Chefoo says that the Japanese army investing Port Arthur extends from Shulantarkao on the west to Chichengtsu on the east, from twelve to fourteen miles from the fortress. The Japanese outposts are being gradually advanced to within four miles of the land

The Japanese fleet has taken possession of two Russian torpedo boats that were abandoned at Dalny and another vessel that is ashore in Talienwan Bay. There are indications that the Port Arthur fleet will make a desperate effort to sally from the port during the land attack.

#### RUSSIANS USING WIRELESS. Port Arthur in Communication With Chinese Territory.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN Toxio, June 5 .- It is suspected that the Russians at Port Arthur are communicating with Chinese territory by means of wireess telegraphy, their instruments probably being on some small islands off the coast. The Japanese cruiser Chitose discovered four masts showing above Liaotishan, but they were out of range of her

accompanied by dense masses of smoke, were heard yesterday at Port Arthur. The Japanese destroyer Ikazuchi has destroyed a mine at Nanshan Island, off

the Liaotung peninsula. The Japanese rear guard has repulsed 2,000 Russian infantry, one battery and some cavalry at Chuchiatun. The Japancee casualties were eight.

A reconnoitring detachment from Gen. Kuroki's army has defeated 600 Russians north of Fengwangcheng. LONDON, June 6 .- A number of Shanghai

correspondents report the belief in Japan that the French are installing wireless telegraphy at Chenwantao in the hope of exchanging news with Port Arthur.

### CARRIER PIGEONS USED. Messages From Port Arthur Sent by That

Means to Chefoo. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

NEWCHWANG, June 5 .- Despatches from Chefoo report the receipt there of messages sent by carrier pigeons from Gen. Stoessel, the commander of the Port Arthur garrison, which were forwarded, without their contents being divulged, to St. Peters-

A junk arrived at Chefoo from Dalny on Saturday. A Chinese passenger on board of her who was recently in Port Arthur says that the Russians there, inclusive of sailors, number 40,000. Only four of the larger ships are undamaged. The rest of the fleet is being repaired.

### CLEARING TALIENWAN BAY. Shell Divers Removing the Mines for the Japanese.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. Toxio. June 5.- The Japanese are employing shell divers from Kusturis to clear the mines in Talienwan Bay. The divers volunteered for this work. They are wonderfully expert, and are able to work half

a day.

Hundreds of fishermen are volunteering to assist in clearing the bay of mines, and it is probable that some of them will be

### FOR RUSSIAN REFORM. M. Witte Urging the Czar to Take Up the

Question. Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, June 6 .- A despatch to the Standard from St. Petersburg says that M Witte is regaining his old influence in high quarters. He is said to be urging the Czar to consider the advisability of authorizing the Senate to investigate the general condition of the people of the country with the view ultimately of making such administrative changes as will bring Russia nore nearly into line with the Western

### TELLS OF RUSSIAN TREACHERY Japanese Officer Says White Flag Was Misused at Nanshan Hill.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, June 6.- A despatch to the Telegraph from Nagasaki gives an account of the abuse by the Russians of the white flag at the battle of Nanshan Hill as told a Japanese officer who was wounded

and who has arrived at Moii. He says: "We advanced and were on the point of passing them [the Russians who displayed the white flag], when they fired point blank at us, killire many. It was this piece of

treachery that accounts for the greatness of the Japanese casualties.

CHANGE IN RUSSIAN UNIFORM, Whole Army to Wear Gray Tunics and Cap Covers.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN, ST. PETERSBURG, June 5.—Gen. Kouropatkin has issued an order, with the consent of Viceroy Alexieff, that tunics and cap covers of a gray tint shall be worn by the whole army as soon as they can be procured from Russia. In order to accelerate the change in uniform an attempt will be made to dye the white tunics gray.

Officers will be permitted to wear tunics with epaulettes, but their tunies and cap covers must be of the same color as those to be worn by the ordinary soldiers.

### DEFEAT OF COSSACKS. Gen. Kuroki Says the Russian Losses Were Heavy.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN TOKIO, June 5.—The defeat of 600 Cossacks by a reconnoitring detachment from Gen. Kuroki's army took place toward Chaimachi. Gen. Kuroki says that the Russian losses were heavy. The Japanese lost one killed and three wounded.

### Y. M. C. A. IN THE JAP ARMY. Twelve of Its Representatives Have Gone to the Front With the Troops.

The Young Men's Christian Association made it known yesterday that six Japanese and six foreigners, representing the Y. M. C. A. in Japan, have been permitted to go to the front with the Japanese troops. Five of these are missionaries. Through their agency the Y. M. C. A. will establish tents containing correspondence materials, reading matter, musical instruments, games and other features, as may be pro-vided for social and relief purposes at the principal camps in Corea as far north as

principal camps in Corea as far north as the Yalu.

A fund to provide for the enterprise has been raised. At the recent Y. M. C. A. convention in Buffalo \$500 was pledged. New Jersey associations have sent out \$500, and Japanese residents in leading American cities will probably contribute an equal amount. Galen M. Fisher, at 3 West Twenty-ninth street, is receiving contributions. It is announced that \$1,000 more will be required to see the enterprise through the year. The association will act as a medium of general helpfulness for the distribution of comforts for the soldiers

### SHOT INTO A CROWD OF BOYS. Drink-Crazed Italian Wounds One-Police Saved Him From Angry Mob.

Another Italian, full of rum and bent on mischief, without the slightest provocation, created excitement in the Fifth the scene of Patrolinen Phelan and Tynan of the Adams street station. As it was, Patrolman Tynan was compelled to draw his revolver to keep the infuriated crowd

Shortly before 10 o'clock last night a number of boys were seated on the curb at Nassau street and Hudson avenue, singing. Andrew Polivino, 22 years old, of 332 Hudson avenue, came along at this time. He had been drinking and was in a fighting mood. The singing of the boys annoyed him and without warning, he pulled out a .32 calibre revolver and fired at them. The boys ran. Louis Montgomery, 14 years old, of 273 Nassau street, gave a cry and fell into the gutter. When some of the men asked him what was the matter, he said: "I'm

him what was the matter, he said: "I'm shot."

"Kill the Italian!" shouted one of the men, and then gave chase, for by this time the Italian was running away. Patrolman Phelan had heard the shots. He hastened after the Italian and caught him. While Phelan was holding his prisoner the angrymen were trying to get him away. Patrolman Tynan arrived and ordered the crowd man Tynan arrived and ordered the

away.
"We'll kill the Italian if we can get hold of him," said one of the men.

Patrolman Tynan drew his revolver and kept guard until the arrival of the patrol

wagon. In the meantime an ambulance from the Brooklyn Hospital had been summoned. Surgeon Adams said the boy had been shot in the left thigh. He was removed to the hospital.

In the midst of the excitement Rocco Condense 22 years old of 119 Navy street. Cordasco, 23 years old, of 119 Navy street, arrived and asked what was the trouble. Believing that he had been with Polivino, the crowd knocked him down and stamped the crowd knocked him down and the was on him and cut his face badly. He was also arrested by the police. He said he knew Polivino, but denied having been in the time of the shooting. his company at the time of the shooting. Polivino had fired three shots at the boys. Polivino was locked up, charged with felonious assault, and Cordasco was charged

### FOUND PARTS OF WOMAN'S BODY. The Tennessee River Furnishes the Materials for a Murder Mystery.

with having participated in the shooting.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 5.- Isaac Johnon, a fisherman, while running his line in the Tennessee River this morning, discovered a floating soap box containing dismembered portions of a woman's body. On an island nearby a hand and arm were

This afternoon, two miles further down the river and just above the city limits, some boys found a human head floating near the shore. The Coroner had just completed an inquest over the soap box remains when he was summoned to where the head was found. No inquest was held over the head. The police have made no progress with the mystery.

### DROWNED ESCAPING FROM HEAT. Two Men Jump in Water to Cool Off and

Lose Their Lives. BALTIMORE, Md., June 5 .- Baltimore naugurated its outing season to-day with the report of two drownings. Overheated after a baseball game William Brown, 18 years of age, jumped into Colgate Creek to cool off. He was seized with cramps, and before assistance could reach him,

was drowned.

Lewis Hornstein, aged 19 years, tried the same trick at Rock Creek, and met with a similar fate. Both men were single. Their bodies have been recovered.

# TWO KILLED IN A CARD GAME

Negroes End a Dispute by a Free Use of Revolvers-One Wounded. COLUMBIA, S. C., June 5 .- Jerry Dial and

Henry Sherman were killed and Warren Samples wounded in a shooting affair at A party of negroes were playing cards in a cabin when a dispute arose. The

# shooting followed. The two dead negroes were shot in the back. The other members of the party fled and it is not known who did the shooting.

Soldier Drowned at Target Practice.

Nkw I ONDON, Conn., June 5 .- While the tug Robert Palmer was towing a floating target off Fort Michie, Gull Island, Saturday target off Fort Michie, Gull Island, Saturday afternoon the hawser became entangled with a flag pole and David Idler, a private, attempted to clear the rope. The strain snapped the pole and Idler was swept overboard. A deckhand seized a life preserver and jumped overboard in an attempt to save Idler, but the soldier was drowned before the deckhand could reach him. Private Idler was a member of the Twelfth Company, Coast Artillery, stationed at Fort Wright, Fisher's Island.

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ROWDIES ASSAULT MANY JEWS

CAUSE A RIOT IN THE WALLA-BOUT SECTION OF WILLIAMSBURG.

Break Store Windows, Attack Women and Children, Overturn Pushcarts and Inture One Man Seriously-Police Reserves Arrest Two, Who Are Held.

A crowd of young hoodlum; invaded the Jewish quarter in Wallabout street. near Harrison avenue, Williamsburg, yesterday morning and made a savage attack men, women and children, besides smashing show windows of stores, upsetting pushcarts and soda fountains and doing ther damage. They had stones, bricks and sticks, and, without the slightest provocation, assailed everybody who crossed their path.

When Joseph Bauer, a well known business man of 388 Wallabout street, remonstrated with the rowdies he was hit in the head with a brick and fell senseless. Jacob Negler, a neighbor of Bauer, attempted to aid him. He received a terrific blow on his head with a stick. For nearly half an hour the rowdies were in possession of the street A number of Jews with long beards had tufts of hair yanked out of their chins. So intense was the excitement among the

Jews that several hundred surrounded the invaders, but were no match for them. Finally somebody sent word to the Clymer street police station that a riot was in progress. Capt. Helahan turned out the reserves. The rowdies saw the police approaching and ran away. A number of Jews who had been savagely attacked kept a tight grip on Patrick Palmer, 18 years old, of 89 Clymer street, and Henry Lehman, 21 yearsold, of 63 Bartlett street. They were taken to the station house, followed by nearly 500 Hebrews. A charge of disorderly conduct was rade against seed, and when cation, created excitement in the Fifth ward, Brooklyn, last night. After shooting a boy he was chased by an angry mob and would have been unmercifully handled, had it not been for the prompt arrival on the been for t the roughs.

An additional charge of assault was made against Palmer and Lehman, and each was held in \$600 bail for a hearing, \$500 on the assault charge and \$100 on the other.

### E. W. PERRY DIES IN A HOTEL Grandson of the Commodore, a Nephew of Garfield and a Close-Mouthed Man.

Emerson Walcott Perry, a grandson of Commodore Perry and a nephew of President Garfield, died suddenly yesterday forenoon in the toilet room of the Gilsey House. He had been dead there two hours before one of the porters discovered his body.

Dr. Walter Flemming, the house physician identified the dead man. In the physician's opinion Perry's death was due to heart disease.

When his pockets were searched papers addressed to Perry at the Putnam House were found. The clerk at that hotel sent word that although Perry had been living there for two years no one in the hotel knew anything about him, and the only friend of Perry's that he knew was A. V. Oliver, a Californian. He didn't know where Oliver was to be found.

Coroner Brown gave a permit for the removal of the body from the Gilsey House and the Tenderloin police took charge of it. They were about to send it to the Morgue, when Oliver turned up and engaged an

undertaker.
Perry, who was about 70 years old, had had a picturesque career. He was a promoter, and for twenty-five years had lived here. When the old St. James Hotel was standing he was one of the regulars there. When it closed he made his headquarters at the Sturtevant House. When that hotel wound upoits career he went over to the When that hotel

Putnam House.

He was born in Vermont on the Perry homestead at Cream Hill on Lake Cham-plain. His sister, Mrs. Hunt, now lives there. He was graduated from Union Colthere. He was graduated from Union Col-lege in the early 60s. He went West and for many years made his home in San Francisco. He made a great deal of money there and once was looked on as a nillionaire. Mr. Oliver said of him last

night:
When I was a boy in San Francisco Perry was a bir man there. He was in the real estate business, and at one time he owned the property on which the San Francisco City Hall is built. He came back there twenty-five or thirty years ago. He had money when he left the Coast, but I under-stood that he sank a good deal of it in min-

"Perry was one of the most reticent men I ever knew. He went West accompanied by his Uncle Garfield, who was a brother of President Garfield. The uncle was a lawyer. He settled in Washington Territory and built up a good law business. He became the Territorial delegate of the State later. Perry taught school in the Territory for several years and then went to San

From cisco.

"He came back East when he got his pile, and he lost his money. How much he had left I don't know, but he had sufficient to live on. No man had a better family tree to live on. No man had a better family tree than he, but he never talked about his an-cestors or their deeds. He often used to chuckle at the Belmonts, who lay so much stress on their relationship by marriage to Commodore Perry. There he was a direct blood descendant and half of his acquaint-

Dlood descendant and hard ances didn't know it."

Oliver is staying at the Ashland House.

He will forward Perry's body to his old

### FOUND DEAD IN HOTEL ROOM. "W. Parker of San Francisco" May Have Killed Himself.

A man registered at the Bartholdi Hotel on Saturday afternoon as "W. Parker of San Francisco," and got a room on the third floor. He had his dinner in the restaurant that night and wanted the bill charged, but the hotel folks objected. "Very well, then; let it hang over until o-morrow," he said. "I haven't any

eady cash just at present." Parker stayed around the hotel for some ime after this and then went to his room. The chambermaid couldn't get in all day vesterday, and last night the door was forced open. Parker was dead in bed. Blood had flowed from his mouth, but

Blood had flowed from his mouth, but there was no wound visible. Coroner Jackson viewed the body and gave a permit for its removal. An autopsy will be held on it to-day. Neither he nor the hotel folks could say whether the man had killed himself or had died of apoplexy.

He had only 42 cents in money and not a scrap of paper in his pockets to tell who he was. There were no marks on his clothing except on his coat. In this was the name "W. Parker." It was bought from Pease Bros., Minneapolis. He had a handbag, but it only contained a few articles of wearing apparel.

# BULLFIGHT TURNS TO A RIOT.

POLICE STOP THE SHOW AND MOB BURNS THE ARENA.

Attempt to Give St. Louis Fair Visitors a Real Spanish Spectacle Prevented -Promoters Disappeared With Recelpts and the Crowd Raised Ructions.

St. Louis, June 5.-The bullfight which was advertised to take place near the world's fair grounds this afternoon was prevented by officers of St. Louis county, who placed the manager, H. A. Tullridge, under arrest. When the disappointed patrons found

stormed the office of the company, breaking all the windows, and then set fire to the large arena, burning it to the ground. A majority of the 2,500 persons who had paid he admission price of \$1 formed the mob. Richard Norris, the proprietor of the grounds, and his associates, sneaked out of the office in disguise after the mob had begun to demolish the windows and clamor

for the return of their money, carrying

that the fight would not be permitted they

the gate receipts with them. An attempt to arrest one of the men who was seen throwing a stone through the window precipitated a riot in which dozens of revolvers were drawn. Several officers stood together, however, and after clubbing some of the mob with the butt ends of their revolvers and threatening to shoot others managed to disperse the crowd. A riot call was sent in to the St. Louis

sent to Sheriff Hencken. By the time the officers had responded, however, the flames had already passed beyond control, and the fury of the mob had somewhat sub-This was about 7 o'clock, and the crowd stood about peacefully watching the flames shoot up from the fine structure, while the few firemen sent out from the world's fair

grounds busied themselves saving furniture

and several small stands and houses ad-

police department and a message was

jacent to the arena. The cost of the arena was \$10,000. The show began about 3 o'clock and for about two hours the people were entertained with a creditable display of riding, shooting and roping. At 5 o'clock the gates were opened and two horses with riders costumed in flaming red jackets, followed by six Spanish toreadors, entered.

They went to the centre of the arena, where the manager stood. The order to bring in the bull went out, but Deputy Sheriff Ossenfort stepped forward with three other officers and read the warrant to Mr. Tullidge.

The mob took the chairs from the boxes smashed them over the railing and threw the pieces out into the arena. Boards were kicked loose and the long scantlings were used as a battering ram. In this way a great part of the structure was demolished. Two small boys were wildly cheered when they drove three of the herd of eighteen bulls from their stalls into the arena. They had battered the doors down

The amphitheatre was soon full of people again and the boys amused the audience by waving pieces of a red quilt at the animals, which huddled up in fear. They were the commonest kind of Texas steers, and refused to show any fight. In the meantime some of the mob had

### stolen a dozen bales of hav from a nearby camp and set the pile on fire under the northwest corner of the structure M'ALPIN AGAINST PERRY. Contest Coming for Republican Leader-

ship of the 27th. Republicans who have become dissatisfied with the conduct of affairs in the Twentyseventh district under the leadership of James W. Perry have decided to oppose the latter at the primaries in August. E. A. McAlpin has been chosen to lead the the forces that believe in uninstructed del fight against him. A meeting will be held gates are claiming a majority.

at the Cadillac Hotel on Wednesday evening. The call for the first meeting is signed by Gen. Howard Carroll, Edwin Einstein, Dr. E. Valentine Buck, Thurlow Weed Barnes, Adam Engel and others. They say that in the six years which Mr. Perry has been leader there has been a steady has been leader there has been a steady diminution of the Republican vote in the district, which gave Low a plurality of only 1,300 last fall, while the Republican plurality for Odell was over 2,500. The district has always been rated as one of the heavy Republican districts of Manhattan. Mr. Perry, since assuming the leadership, has run twice for Congress and been defeated, the last time by Francis Burton Harrison.

Burton Harrison.

Gen McAlpin was retired by Gov. Odell Gen McAlpin was retired by Gov. Odell as treasurer of the Republican State committee in favor of Louis Stern last April. He lives most of the time at Ossining. Those who are putting him up for leader say that he intends to live here in future. Those who are opposing Perry say that Perry will be beaten three to one. One reason, they say, is that B. Aymar Sands, the lawyer, has had too much to say about nominations which have been made downtown in what Mr. Perry calls the Twenty-seventh District Republican Club, at 100 Broadway. No other district, Mr. Perry's enemies assert, maintains a club outside enemies assert, maintains a club outsid of the district.

### LONG CHASE FOR AN AUTO. Foster Milliken's Driver Made a Run For It, but Was Caught at Last.

When a big automobile with one man in it whizzed past Bicycle Policeman Billy Schneider at Park avenue and Seventieth street yesterday afternoon he gave chase. Schneider had to pedal as hard as he knew how before he got near the auto. He called o the driver to slow up, but the latter only

laughed, so Schneider says.

The machine was sent along at a fast clip to Fifty-eighth street, where the driver urned west to Madison avenue and headed the automobile at Forty-sixth street.

the automobile at Forty-sixth street.

Schneider says he caught his man only when two street cars and a truck blocked the street. The prisoner was taken to the East Fifty-first street station. He said he was Charles Neal, of 64 East Eighty-fifth street, and that he was employed by Foster Milliken, of 127 West Seventy-second street. WILLIAM A. HALL ARRESTED. William A. Hall, of the Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co., was arrested yesterday afternoon by Policeman Remnington, charged with speeding his automobile on Riverdale avenue near Mosholu Parkway. He gave \$100 cash bail in the station have and rode away without, giving the

# holds and rode away without giving the names of the four women who were riding with him. He was much put out over his arrest and said that he had not exceeded SECRETARY FLORY RESIGNS, Result of Dissensions in the National Com-

mission of the St. Louis Fair. St. Louis, June 5.—Owing to dissensions n the national commission of the worlds fair, Joseph Flory has tendered his resignation as secretary, to take effect on July 1. Mr. Flory will be succeeded by Laurence E. Graham, an eastern newspaper man and personal friend of President Roosevelt. Mr. Flory declined to make any statement of the causes leading to his resignation,

saving:
"I have nothing to say at present beyond
the fact that I have taken the only step
consistent with conditions as they now
exist. I shall have something to say later."



GOV. MURPHY BACK. Satisfied With Cortelyou-Fairbanks His Favorite for Vice-President.

Gov. Franklin Murphy of New Jersey got back yesterday aboard the White Star liner Celtic from a six weeks' vacation, which he declared had benefited him greatly. He looks fit to enter the fall campaign for his party. He said:

"I left word to all my friends and my

secretary not to send me any letters or papers, so that I might be absolutely aloof from business and political affairs. I went away seeking health and found it. I walked from fifteen to twenty miles a day, and lived chiefly on a bread and milk diet. "Now that I feel so well I shall doubtless take part in the national campaign of the Republican party. I am not much of a

Republican party. I am not much of a political orator, however; in fact, I make speeches only when I can't help it. Senator Hanna's death has been felt severely in the Republican national committee. But George B. Cortelyou, whom I know very well, is a bright, able, adaptable man, who will, I think, prôve equal to the demands of any emergency."

"Who is your candidate for the Vice-Presidency?"

"Well, I think Senator Fairbanks is a capital man for the place. I believe that no man should be nominated for the Vice-Presidency who is not equal to the Presidency. Fairbanks is able and popular. As for the Presidency, Mr. Roosevelt is naturally the only candidate to be thought of. I think we could not improve on the last Republican platform. But whatever a party may be or whatever it may say in its platform, no party can get away from its own record. The people are, I believe, going to judge the Republican party by its record, and I think the record is a good one."

### NO INSTRUCTIONS IN TEXAS. Result of the Primaries Held Saturday Favors Neither Parker Nor Hearst.

DALLAS, Tex., June 5 .- Neither Hearst nor Parker has carried Texas in the primaries held yesterday. The uninstructed vote will hold the balance of power in the State convention. Less than fifty of the 247 counties of the State have been heard from conclusively, but these show the drift

from conclusively, but these show the drift of the work done yesterday.

In the instructed vote Parker does not seem to have any advantage over Hearst, and in the uninstructed vote, if there is any material advantage, it would seem to be Hearst's. An estimate from the returns so far received would give each candidate from 300 to 350 votes in the convention, leaving from 300 to 400 votes uninstructed.

### Hearst Gains in Minnesota.

DULUTH, Minn., June 5.- Hearst will have at least 100 of the 130 delegates in the Democratic county convention which will meet in this city Saturday, and will be able to control the St. Louis county delegation to control the St. Louis county design to to the State convention as well as the con-vention of the Eighth Congress district. This statement was given out to-night by prominent Democratic leaders after the primary polls had closed.

Indge Gray May Have Won in Delaware WILMINGTON, Del., June 5 .- The results of the Democratic primaries on Saturday indicate that the supporters of Judge Grav in the State convention to be held on Tues-

### WOMEN STAND BY POLYGAMY. Broadway, I tah Democrats Asked Not to Vote Agains

the Practice at St. Louis. SALT LAKE, Utah, June 5 .- Prominent Democrats of Utah are being visited by a committee of Mormon women for the purpose of securing pledges to oppose the adopion of an anti-polygamy plank by the naional Democratic convention. The commiftee is headed by Dr. Mattie Hughes Cannon, a polygamous wife of Angus H. Cannon, former president of the Salt Lake

Stake of the Mormon Church. Men who are looked upon as probable delegates to the St. Louis convention are being interviewed by the women, who base their request wholly upon the ground that the interests of the Church demand that no plank of this nature be put in the platform. A majority of the men appraoched,

respective of religious belief, contend that opposition from the Utah delegation would opposition from the Utah delegation would be bad politics and would not result in a benefit to the Church. Therefore they have declined to pledge themselves in opposition to the plank. It is believed the women are acting under instructions from the Church authorities.

The Authors' Club of Salt Lake has forwarded its notice of withdrawal to the Society of the General Feneration of Women's Clubs. The Authors' Club is composed almost wholly of Morrmon women, and its action is a result of the anti-Mormon resolution passed by the biennial convention of the federation at St. Louis in May 25.

The resolution placed the federation on record as opposed to the affiliation of any women's clubs with any sect "inimical to the Constitution of the United States or opposed to the principles of American recomplised."

# SEVERE STORM IN BALTIMORE.

Lightning Plays Havoe With the -Torrent of Rain in the City. BALTIMORE, June 5 .- Just as the bay excursionists were on the return trip to the city this evening an electrical storm burst, which in the end proved to be the severest of the early summer season. Those

returning from their outing were almost terror stricken, but cool heads prevailed and accidents were averted. In the city there was a veritable cloudburst. The storm came on shortly before dark and continued for several hours. The streets in several parts of the city were veritable rivers, while in the outlying districts the lightning played havoc. Telephone and telegraph wires suffered severely and communication in various in-

verely and communication in various in-stances was cut off.

At the Forest Park exchange of the Mary-At the Forest Park exchange of the Maryland Telephone Company a thunderbolt set fire to the trunk lines and toll board, and for a time consternation prevailed. The fire was extinguished, but not before considerable damage had been done. Wires were levelled in the suburbs and street car traffic was sadly interfered with.

The storm on the bay and its tributaries was startling, but up to a late hour tonight no disasters were reported. The various companies are endeavoring to various companies are endeavoring to restore communication as quickly as pos-sible, but the submerged condition of the streets and roads is making their task

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Seven prizes, inclusive of the championship cup, are listed in the open championship of Great Britain, to be held at Sandwich, on next Wednesday and Thursday. The event brings together the leading professionals of the world, and a few amateurs also start, including, by established custom, the amateur champion of the year. Such a stickler for precedent as Travis, therefore, is sure to be a starter, but if unplaced he is not in any degree disgraced. Last year Robert Maxwell, thirteenth place, with 318, while the winner. open championship last year Travis was unplaced, doing 326, and was led home by two other amateurs, Douglas, who was eighth at 322, and Reinhart, 325. In the open of the year before at Garden City. Travis and Stewart Gardner, at 313, were tied for second place to Auchterlonie, who did 307. Travis, on this showing, is capable of a fine score at seventy-two holes on a course that suits him.

Golf has often been termed the "old man's game," and it is certainly the game that sticks longest to the player. The large field at the Fairfield County Golf Club last week in the cup event for players over lifty proves that the game is not alone for the youngsters, and so does this note from the Field, ment the most famous veteran of the links.

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Sir Walter Foster had a round over the old course at St. Andrews on Monday with Tom Morris. The play of the veteran was somewhat remarkable. Giving Sir Walter one third, he beat him by 2 and 1 to play. Going out Tom took 40, while his card for the return journey showed 48, a total of 94. Herein lies the remarkable feature of the game. In the ordinary course of events a player takes twenty, thirty, forty or even fitty atrokes more than he is years old to do a full round. Toin, who will be 85 next month, did it in eleven strokes above his age. His strong point was his driving. He lay within a couple of yards of the long hole with his third, while at the high hole he was on the green with his second shot.

Jamaica, June 5.—Team matches for individual prizes were on the schedule of the Highland Golf Club vesterday. Team No. 1 defeated No. 2 and Team No. 3 defeated Team No. 4. The scores:

Team No. 4. The scores:

Team No. 1—G. T. Watts, S. C. R. Haviland, O. W. B. Donnell, O. R. F. Duffield, O. N. Harrison, 2; W. B. Donnell, O. R. F. Duffield, O. N. Harrison, 2; Total, 10.

Team No. 2—F. L. Mills, O. J. H. Dunning, 2; W. F. Wyekoff, 2; T. R. Chapman, 1; P. Meynen, O. E. R. Skidmore, S. P. H. Gregory, O. J. F. Ditto, O. H. Waring, O. Total, 8.

Team No. 3—E. C. Chickering, 1; J. H. Redfield, O. E. W. Hartcorn, S. E. R. Van Tassel, O. G. K. Meynen, 2; J. H. Higbie, O. W. J. Baldwin, O. R. E. Bayles, 1; B. J. Humphrey, O. Total, 7.

Team No. 4—R. F. McFarland, O. R. A. Dooittie, 2; C. Joost, 17, O. V. Lessner, 2; F. R. Schilling, O. I. Harrison, 1; R. E. Wick, O. J. H. Selbert, O. R. A. Ciriling, O. Total, 5.

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GREENWICH, June 5.—Secretary George P Sheldon's cup was up for competition yesterday at the Fairfield County Gel. Club. James McCutcheon won from Frank Lockwood, by default; H. M. Day, Jr., won from C. E. Martin, by default; A. V. Whiteman defeated William Bracken, 5 up and 4 to play; E. C. Converse defeated W. E. Carhart, 5 up and 4 to play; G. P. Sheldon defeated E. W. Russell, 3 up and 2 to play; W. M. Copp defeated W. L. Cammann, 6 up and 5 to play; W. T. Bouchelle beat B. H. Warford, 1 up (20 holes).



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and J. M. Mason beat P. R. Bonner, 4 up and 3 to Second Round Day defeated McCutcheon, 7 up and 5 to play: Converse beat Whiteman, 6 up and 4 to play: Copp defeated Sheldon, 2 up and 1 to play, and Mason defeated Bouchelle, 6 up and 5 to play.

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PLAINFIELD, June 5.—The chief event at the Hillside Tennis and Golf Club yesterday was the weekly play for the golf committee cup. The best scores were: Robert Abbott, 73, 0-73, and Willard Wadsworth, 78, 5-73. In the play-off of the tie among seven contestants in the Kickers' handicap on Memorial Day H. D. Wright was the winner, with a net score of 80, and George E. Catheart wou, the play-off, the tie with H. C. Munger for the Holiday cup, with a net score of 75.

In the weekly competition for the predefiner and club cups at the Park Golf Cub yesterday afternoon the two best scores posted were of E. Maxwell Honeyman, 18, 22-83, and H. C. Wells, 105, 21-84. J. H. Howell and Miss Elsie Brokaw won the 17-proaching and putting! contest, postpot ed from Memorial Day, with a score of 9.

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# DIED.

GOODWIN.—On Sunday, June 5, at his late rest-dence, 629 West 28d st., Bernard Goodwin, beloved husband of Mary Goodwin. Notice of funeral hereafter.

HEINEKEN.-At Livingston Place, New Brighton, Staten Island, on June 4, 1904, Gustav Heineken, in his 70th year. Puneral from his late residence on Monday. June 6, at 11 A. M.

HOWARD.-On Saturday, June 4, 1904, Thomas H., son of Ezra W. and Elizabeth Stuyvesant Howard in the 42d year of his age. Funeral at Christ Church, Hyde Park, N. Y., Monday, June 6, at 3 o'clock P. M. Train leaves Grand Central Station at 1 P. M. NTEED. On June 4, August M. Unteed, dearly

WALKER On June 4, 1904, James, son of George and Margaret Walker, in the 30th year of his age, at Saranac Lake, N. Y.

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